

What: Take a Kid Fishing Day

When: Saturday, February 13th, 2016
10:00 AM to 1:30 PM

Where: La Paz County Park
7350 Riverside Dr.
Parker, AZ 85344

Comments: This is the 37th Annual *Take a Fishing Day* celebration and is a community partnership event between the Arizona Game and Fish Department, Take a Kid Fishing Organization, and the City of Parker. This event is for beginning and experienced anglers. Loaner rods are available for use, or feel free to bring your own. Bait will be provided and you do not need to possess a fishing license to participate. The cost of the event is free. Bring your family out and join the fun.

Contact: For more information please contact the Sport Fishing Education Program at (623)236-7240

What: Just for Kids Fishing Festival

When: Saturday, February 27th, 2016
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Where: Kiwanis Park
5500 S. Mill Ave.
Tempe, AZ 85283

Comments: This is the 25th Annual *Just for Kids Fishing Festival* celebration and is a community partnership event between the Arizona Game and Fish Department, Anglers United, and the City of Tempe. This event is for beginning and experienced anglers. Loaner rods are available for use, or feel free to bring your own. Bait will be provided and during the hours of the event, you do not need to possess a fishing license providing you sign in at the Game and Fish booth. The cost of the event is free. Bring your family out and join the fun.

Contact: For more information please contact the Sport Fishing Education Program at (623)236-7240

What: Melrose on 7th Avenue Street Fair

When: Saturday, March 5th, 2016
11:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Where: Phoenix
Melrose on 7th Avenue- located on 7th Avenue between Indian School Road and Campbell Avenue in the Melrose District

Comments: Family Fishing Tank at the 14th Annual 7th Ave. Street Fair-
Come join the Arizona Game and Fish Department , Sportsman's Warehouse, and the Seventh Avenue Merchant Association's for a day of fun, as hundreds of local artists, culinarians, and vendors showcase their very best. The Arizona Game and Fish and Sportsman's Warehouse will be onsite hosting a free, catch-and-release "family fishing tank", where kids can dunk a line to try and catch a hungry trout. In addition, the street fair will include over 150 vendor booths, live entertainment, food, a kid area, over 200 classic, antique and vintage cars, trucks and trailers in the Chester's Classic Car Show, and much more! This event is FREE to the public, so bring your friends and family.

Contact: For more information on the free family fishing portion of the Street Fair, please contact the Sport Fishing Education Program at (623)236-7240

What: Family Fishing Day

When: Saturday, March 19th, 2016
8:00 AM to 11:30AM

Where: Silverbell Lake @ Christopher Columbus Park
4600 N. Silverbell Rd.
Tucson, AZ 85745

Comments: This family event is being put on by the Arizona Game and Fish Department. Game & Fish staff will be on hand to provide loaner rods for those who don't have their own, as well as providing bait and fishing information. Come on out and bring the whole family. The event is free and fishing licenses are not required for those who register with Game & Fish Staff during the planned hours of the event. See you there!

Contact: Please contact the Tucson Game and Fish Department office at 520-628-5376 for more information.

What: Youth Fishing Day

When: Saturday, April 16th
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Where: Bonsall Pond
5840 W. Bethany Home Rd.
Glendale, AZ 85301

Comments: The Arizona Game and Fish will be working with the City of Glendale to provide a day of free, family fishing and fun. Up to 1,000 youth licenses will be given out free, on a first-come, first-serve basis. In addition, Game and Fish staff and volunteer instructors will be on hand to provide tips on fishing and answer your angling questions. Bring your own equipment or there will be loaner rods available. During the event, participants who register with Game and Fish will be provided bait and will not need a fishing license.

Contact: For more information please contact the Sport Fishing Education Program at
(623)236-7240

What: Family Fishing Day

When: Saturday, April 23rd, 2016
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Where: Red Mountain Lake
7745 E. Brown Rd.
Mesa, AZ 85207

Comments: Come out and enjoy some family fun with the Arizona Game and Fish Department. Staff and volunteer instructors will be providing free fishing for everyone who signs in at the Game and Fish booth during event hours. Bait will be provided and loaner equipment will be available. This event is free; See you there!

Contact: For more information please contact the Sport Fishing Education Program at
(623)236-7240

What: Family Fishing Day

When: Saturday, May 7th, 2016
8:00 AM to 11:30 AM

Where: Silverbell Lake @ Christopher Columbus Park
4600 N. Silverbell Rd.
Tucson, AZ 85745

Comments: This family event is being put on by the Arizona Game and Fish Department. Game & Fish staff will be on hand to provide loaner rods for those who don't have their own, as well as providing bait and fishing information. Come on out and bring the whole family. The event is free and fishing licenses are not required for those who register with Game & Fish Staff during the planned hours of the event. See you there!

Contact: Please contact the Tucson Game and Fish Department office at 520-628-5376 for more information.

What: Free Fishing Day!

When: Saturday, June 4th, 2016
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Where: Goldwater Lake
2900 S. Goldwater Lake Rd.
Prescott, AZ 86303

Comments: As part of the National Free Fishing Day, the Arizona Game and Fish Department is planning a day of free fishing for the whole family. The Arizona Game & Fish Department staff and Fishing Education instructors will be on hand to assist anglers. Bait will be provided and loaner rods will be available. This is a great time to bring out the kids for a nice day of fishing.

Contact: For more information please call the Kingman Office of the Arizona Game and Fish at 928-692-7700 or the Sport Fishing Education Program at 623-236-7240